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November 3, 2010

CERTIFIED MAIL
RETURN RECEIPT REQUESTED

Mr. Ted W. Lewellyn
Mill Manager
International Paper – Franklin Mill
34040 Union Camp Drive
Franklin, VA 23851

RE: Reissuance of VPDES Permit No. VA0004162
International Paper – Franklin Mill
Franklin, VA 23851

Dear Mr. Lewellyn:

The enclosed effluent limitations and monitoring requirements for the above referenced permit have been approved. Additionally, enclosed is a copy of the fact sheet page that describes public participation in the permitting process. Please replace the page in fact sheet that you received with the draft permit with this page.

Your permit is also enclosed. In accordance with the permit, you are required to submit monitoring reports to the following address:

Department of Environmental Quality (DEQ)
Tidewater Regional Office
5636 Southern Boulevard
Virginia Beach, VA 23462

The reporting forms are included with the permit. The first report (DMR) is due for the month of December 2010 by January 1, 2011.

Thank you for participating in the Agency's e-DMR program. If you have any questions concerning the e-DMR program, our regional e-DMR administrator Debbie Kay, phone 757-518-2127, Deborah.kay@deq.virginia.gov can assist you, or the following website provides details about the program: <http://www.deq.virginia.gov/water/edmrfaq.html>

As provided by Rule 2A:2 of the Supreme Court of Virginia, you have thirty days from the date of service (the date you actually received this decision or the date it was mailed to you, whichever occurred first) within which to appeal this decision by filing a notice of appeal in accordance with the Rules of the Supreme Court

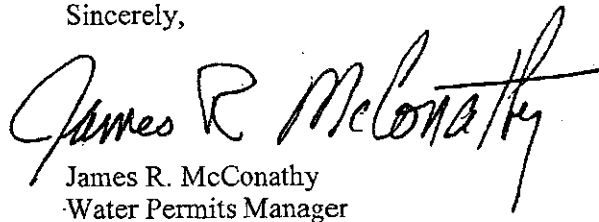
of Virginia with the Director, Department of Environmental Quality. In the event that this decision is served on you by mail, three days are added to that period.

Alternatively, any owner under Section 62.1-44.16, 62.1-44.17, and 62.1-44.19 of the State Water Control Law aggrieved by any action of the State Water Control Board taken without a formal hearing, or by inaction of the Board, may demand in writing a formal hearing of such owner's grievance, provided a petition requesting such hearing is filed with the Board. Said petition must meet the requirements set forth in Section 1.23(b) of the Board's Procedural Rule No. 1. In cases involving actions of the Board, such petition must be filed within thirty days after notice of such action is mailed to such owner by certified mail.

This facility has Class I licensed wastewater operator requirements.

If you have any additional questions, please do not hesitate to contact Mark H. Sauer at 757-518-2105 or by email at mark.sauer@deq.virginia.gov.

Sincerely,



James R. McConathy
Water Permits Manager

JRM/ms

cc: DEQ - OWPP, TRO File
EPA - Region III (3WP12)

Encl: Permit No. VA0004162
Revised Fact Sheet Page(s)

ADJACENT STATE COMMENTS RECEIVED ON DRAFT PERMIT: Document any comments received from an adjacent state and noted how resolved.

The draft permit was sent to North Carolina on September 29, 2010. No comments were received during the comment period.

OTHER AGENCY COMMENTS RECEIVED ON DRAFT PERMIT: Document any comments received from any other agencies (e.g., VIMS, VMRC, DGIF, etc.) and noted how resolved.

The draft permit was sent to NCDENR, NC Division of Marine Fisheries, NC Wildlife Resources, VA Game and Inland Fisheries and the US Fish and Wildlife Service on September 29, 2010. No comments were received during the comment period.

OTHER COMMENTS RECEIVED FROM RIPARIAN OWNERS/CITIZENS ON DRAFT PERMIT: Document any comments received from other sources and note how resolved.

The Blackwater/Nottoway Riverkeeper, Mr. Jeff Turner, was notified by e-mail on September 29, 2010. No comments were received during the comment period.

The application and draft permit have received public notice in accordance with the VPDES Permit Regulation, and no comments were received.

PUBLIC NOTICE INFORMATION: Comment Period: Start Date: October 1, 2010
End Date : November 1, 2010

Persons may comment in writing or by e-mail to the DEQ on the proposed issuance/reissuance/modification of the permit within 30 days from the date of the first notice. Address all comments to the contact person listed below. Written or e-mail comments shall include the name, address, and telephone number of the writer, and shall contain a complete, concise statement of the factual basis for comments. Only those comments received within this period will be considered. The Director of the DEQ may decide to hold a public hearing if public response is significant. Requests for public hearings shall state the reason why a hearing is requested, the nature of the issues proposed to be raised in the public hearing and a brief explanation of how the requestor's interests would be directly and adversely affected by the proposed permit action.

All pertinent information is on file and may be inspected, and arrangements made for copying by contacting Mark H. Sauer at: Department of Environmental Quality (DEQ), Tidewater Regional Office, 5636 Southern Boulevard, Virginia Beach, VA 23462. Telephone: 757-518-2105 E-mail: mark.sauer@deq.virginia.gov

Following the comment period, the Board will make a determination regarding the proposed issuance/reissuance/modification. This determination will become effective, unless the Director grants a public hearing. Due notice of any public hearing will be given.